



235 ANDOVER STREET

U. S. ROUTE 114

PEABODY, MASS.

CENTURY INN

TELEPHONE
PEABODY 1410

Century Inn Dinners

Served Twelve to Eight

A choice of	
Century Inn Cocktail	Shrimp Cocktail
Frapped Fruit Juices	Chilled Tomato Juice
Soupe du Jour	Fresh Fruit Cup
Clam Chowder	
<i>The Price of the Main Course is the Price of the Complete Dinner</i>	
Melba Toast	Cottage Cheese
Potato	Fresh Vegetables
A choice of Desserts	Assorted Hot Rolls
	Salad
	Beverage

Steaks and Chops

Broiled Steer Sirloin Steak	\$4.25
Minute Sirloin Steak	3.25
Broiled Steer Tenderloin Steak	4.25
Small Tenderloin Steak	3.25
Broiled Ham Steak and Pineapple Ring	2.75
Two Broiled Lamb Chops	3.50
Single Lamb Chop	2.75

Chicken

Broiled Chicken - One Half, Spiced Crab Apple	2.65
Chicken A La King, en Casserole	2.25
Pan Fried Boneless Chicken - One Half, Spiced Crab Apple	2.65
Creamed Chicken with Toast Points	2.25

Lobster (All Lobsters weigh 1 1/4 Pounds)

Lobster A La Scarlet O'Hara	3.75
Broiled Live Lobster, Drawn Butter	3.50
Baked Stuffed Lobster, Drawn Butter	3.50
Hot Boiled Lobster, Drawn Butter	3.50
Fried Lobster, Tartare Sauce	3.50
Saute or Creamed Lobster, en Casserole	3.25
Lobster Newburg, en Casserole	3.25
Lobster Thermidor — Mushroom Caps	3.50
Lobster Salad, Mayonnaise	3.50

Sea Food

Broiled Swordfish, Lemon Butter	2.25
Fried Cape Scallops, Tartare Sauce	2.20
Fried Jumbo Shrimp, Tartare Sauce	2.20
Broiled Halibut, Lemon Butter	2.20
Fried Filet of Sole, Tartare Sauce	1.85

Coffee or Milk — .15

Pot of Tea — .20

Iced Coffee or Tea — .20

* Our rolls, pastries and hot breads are made in our own kitchen. All the above dinners are cooked to order, assuring you freshly cooked and delectable food.

SPECIAL MENU FOR CHILDREN ON REQUEST

De Luxe Dinner

\$4.00

Stuffed Olives

Melba Toast

Iced Celery Hearts
Cottage Cheese

Fresh Fruit Cocktail

Frapped Fruit Juice

Choice
Tomato Juice

Shrimp Cocktail
Century Inn Cocktail

Choice
Soupe du Jour

Clam Chowder

Choice

FILET MIGNON (50c extra)

BROILED SIRLOIN STEAK (50c extra)

BROILED LAMB CHOPS (25c extra)

LOBSTER THERMIDOR

BAKED STUFFED LOBSTER

BROILED LIVE LOBSTER

FRIED LOBSTER, Tartar Sauce

Vegetables

Potatoes

Hot Pecan Rolls and Butter
Salad

Choice of Desserts
Tea, Coffee, Milk or Gingerale

Week Day Luncheon

EXCEPT SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS
Noon until Four o'clock

\$1.70

A choice of Century Inn Cocktail

Soupe du Jour Clam Chowder

Chilled Tomato Juice Frapped Fruit Juices

Different Entrees Are Served Each Day

Cottage Cheese

Melba Toast Assorted Hot Rolls
Potato Fresh Vegetables

A choice of Desserts

Beverage

Your Waitress Will Recite the Entrees of the Day

Dinner

Except Sundays and Holidays
Four until Eight

\$2.20

A choice of Century Inn Cocktail

Soupe du Jour Clam Chowder

Chilled Tomato Juice Frapped Fruit Juices

Fresh Fruit Cup

Different Entrees Are Served Each Day

Melba Toast Cottage Cheese

Potato Fresh Vegetables Salad

Assorted Hot Rolls

A choice of Desserts

Beverage

Your Waitress Will Recite the Entrees

SPECIAL DINNERS SERVED ON
SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS

A La Carte

Appetizers

Fresh Juices, Sherbet35
Fresh Fruit Cup Supreme50
Lobster Cocktail90
Shrimp Cocktail50

Stews and Chowders

Cup Soup25
Cup Chowder35
Clam Chowder60
Lobster Stew	1.65

Salads

Dinner Salad35
Fresh Fruit	1.60
Lobster Salad	2.50
Fresh Shrimp Salad	1.75
Chicken Salad	1.75

Sandwiches (Garnished)

Plain Chicken	1.00
Open Club	1.50
Open Lobster Salad	1.50
Open Chicken Salad	1.00

Desserts

With Ice Cream35
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Our Hostess will be glad to take your reservation for Business Groups, Bridge, Shower, Wedding, or Birthday Parties. There is no extra charge for this service but reservations in advance are necessary.

Massachusetts Old Age Tax 5%

Not responsible for lost articles

Open Daily From Noon Until Eight
Saturdays From Noon Until Eight Thirty

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Century Inn

stands on historic ground in the midst of the most fertile land in this part of the county, known as Governor Endicott's Plain.

Governor Endicott was here in 1626 and at that time on his river farm planted his famous pear tree which still lives and bears fruit.

All this part of the country was then Salem. Later it became Danvers and South Danvers (Peabody).

The original house, the nucleus of the present Century Inn, formerly stood on the property of the King Hooper Mansion, later known as The Collins House, "The Lindens", visible across the fields from the Inn.

It was in The Collins House that General Gage, Royal Governor of The Massachusetts Bay Colony, took up his residence, and a group in opposition to the Governor and his tory supporters fired a cannon ball through the front door in defiance of the existing state of affairs. This was before the outbreak of the Revolution.

During some improvements made at the "The Lindens", this little house, very much like a But and Ben type of the Scotch highland country, was moved across the fields to its present location, and served as a home for different families. Some twenty five years ago when it became vacant, Miss Marie Chaltain and Mrs. Annie Rowell in their tours about the country as booking agents for famous concert stars, some of whom were Paderewski, Schumann-Heink, Martinelli, Farrar, Louise Homer and many others, visualized it as a good location for a country eating place. They repaired it and began the business of serving excellent food to patrons who were driving about the country seeking just such a place.

By their industry and foresight the business grew, and has expanded from two rooms and a kitchen, to its present size. It now is one of the best liked eating places in New England.

The location is delightful. In front you look across to Mt. Pleasant (Hog Hill) where some of the oldest houses in the colony, dating back to the 1600's, still stand; and at the back across the lush growing crops of summertime, you see the site of "The Lindens", which was recently dismantled and removed to Washington, D. C., where it has been restored.

The Century Inn is easy of access, being located on the Andover Turnpike in Peabody, also known as Route 114.

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